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INCLUDING AUTOMATIC DOWNTIME AND  
CYCLE TIME ANALYSIS

TRANSMITTAL OF  
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Sir:

Enclosed herewith for filing in the above identified application is an executed Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status to which this application is entitled. Please credit one-half of the filing fee previously paid to Deposit Account No. 08-0750. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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